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PETITION FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the missing parts office action dated August 23, 2005.

The executed declaration is filed concurrently herewith.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$ 450.00 is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees required with this submission or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1529.

Respectfully submitted,

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